

Cox Chooses 4 Aides For Watergate Force

Washington

Special prosecutor Archibald Cox yesterday named four men to the Watergate special prosecution force in what he described as "positions of major responsibility."

William H. Merrill was appointed associate special prosecutor with responsibility for heading the investigation relating to the break-in at the office of Dr. Louis Fielding, the psychiatrist for Daniel Ellsberg. Merrill has been a trial attorney in Detroit since 1950.

Richard Ben-Veniste was appointed assistant special prosecutor to serve as the principal assistant to James F. Neal, the man in charge of investigating and prosecuting the main Watergate

case and allegations of obstruction of justice in that case. Ben-Veniste has been chief of the official corruption section of the U.S. attorney's office in the Southern District of New York.

Richard Davis was appointed an assistant special prosecutor with the responsibility for heading the task force looking into possible violations of federal laws relating to allegations of espionage, disruption, fictitious publications and other so-called "dirty tricks" during the 1972 presidential campaign.

Harry M. Bratt was appointed chief of the information system section and will direct the organizing of reports, interviews and other investigative matters into an

information system that will provide substantial support to the various task forces.

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